

Clearances:

L/PM – Archie  
NSC – Fly  
H – Faulkner  
PM/DTC–Kovac

PM/DTCL – Maloney  
PM/CPA - Greer  
T – Katsapis

Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed technical assistance agreement for the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles and defense services for the upgrade of the Iraqi Ministry of Defense communication systems for end-use by the Iraqi Ministry of Defense.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Richard R. Verma  
Assistant Secretary  
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 032-09

The Honorable  
Nancy Pelosi,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
TRANSMITTAL NO. DDTC 032-09  
CERTIFICATION OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN EXPORT  
LICENSE PURSUANT TO SECTION 36(c)  
OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT

(1) Foreign Country or International Organization to Which Export Will Be Made:  
Iraq, United Kingdom, United Arab Emirates

(2) Dollar Value of the Items to Be Exported:

(a) Current license application: \$139,400,000

(b) Total contract: \$155,400,000

(3) Description of the Items:

(a) ITT Corporation proposes to amend an ongoing technical assistance agreement with the Republic of Iraq (Iraqi Ministry of Defense) – Iraq, ITT Defence Limited – United Kingdom, and Gulf Supplies and Commercial Services - UAE for the transfer of defense articles, to include technical data and defense services for the upgrade of the Iraqi Ministry of Defense communication systems for end-use by the Iraqi Ministry of Defense. This amendment increases the value of the hardware to be exported in furtherance of the agreement as described in Attachment A. This amendment further increases the value of defense services to include systems integration, training and maintenance support.

(b) Total Scope: Initial Notification.

(c) A discussion on regional security balance will be forwarded under a separate cover.

(4) Offset Arrangement: There are no offsets associated with this application

(5) Sales Territory: Iraq

(6) Date Certification Delivered to Congress:

NOTE: This report, although unclassified, is derived from information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant which is subject to the confidentiality requirements of section 38(e) of the Arms Export Control Act. Disclosure of an applicant's prices and customers could result in competitive injury.

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John F. Kerry, Chairman,  
Committee on Foreign Relations,  
United States Senate.

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Richard G. Lugar,  
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Ileana Ros-Lehtinen,  
Committee on Foreign Affairs,  
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The Honorable  
Joseph R. Biden, Jr.,  
President of the Senate.